

Massachusetts

AIDS Rate per 100,000

10.8*

State Funds for HIV Early Intervention Services

STATE EXPENDITURES	
Required Base	SFY 2007 Expenditures Maintenance
\$649,529	\$3,803,686

SAPT EXPENDITURES	
FY 2005 HIV Set-Aside	FY 2008 Planned
\$1,695,667	\$1,712,770

FY 2008 SAPT Reports

State contracts with a provider to integrate HIV early intervention services into overall treatment infrastructure making early intervention services part of the overall array of services provided to clients in substance abuse treatment, including pre/post test counseling, treatment referral, HIV risk assessment, and HIV/AIDS education.

HIV EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES PROVIDED							
Rapid Testing	Funding Rapid Testing	Regular HIV Testing	Pre-Test and Post-Test Counseling	Referral Services	Risk Assessment	HIV/AIDS Education	Outreach
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State Narrative Summary

The Bureau of Substance Abuse Services continued to fund a project called SPHERE (Statewide Partnership for HIV Education in Recovery Environments), which provides capacity-building services to help treatment providers create welcoming environments in which clients can explore their HIV risks, discover their status, and be linked to additional care while remaining in recovery. The program focuses particularly on systems integration and coordination and needs assessment. Coordination has focused on technical assistance to promote linkages between the drug and alcohol treatment world with the HIV services world. In Fiscal Year (FY) 2007, the program undertook two statewide needs assessments to explore the level of integration of HIV

*The most recent data published prior to October 1, 2007 by the CDC is Table 14, Reported AIDS cases and annual rates (per 100,000 population), by area of residence and age category, cumulative through 2005-United States, HIV/AIDS Surveillance Report 2005 Vol. 17, U.S. Department of Health and Human services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention, Division of HIV/AIDS, Prevention, Surveillance, and Epidemiology. Single copies of the report are available through the CDC National Prevention Information Network, 1-800-458-5231 or 301-562-1098 or <http://www.cdc.gov/hiv/topics/surveillance/resources/reports/2005report/table14.htm>

services with alcohol and drug treatment services; in addition, the program conducted its first full-year of follow-up evaluations to understand the effect of SPHERE's services. In FY 2008, the program will continue to offer early intervention services, with an ongoing focus on integrating alcohol and drug treatment services with HIV prevention, education, and treatment and on capacity building to provide such services.

In addition the Bureau of Substance Abuse Services provides Early Intervention for HIV services within its Methadone treatment programs and Acute Treatment Services. These treatment programs provide HIV education and referral to counseling, testing and treatment.

Full State Narrative

FY 2005 (COMPLIANCE)

The Bureau of Substance Abuse Services (BSAS) continued its contractual relationship with Health Care of Southeastern Massachusetts (HCSM) to fund their SPHERE (Statewide Partnership for HIV Education in Recovery Environments) program to provide HIV/AIDS and substance abuse targeted capacity building services on a statewide level. SPHERE's programming continued to focus on helping substance abuse treatment providers create welcoming environments in treatment for clients to explore their HIV risks, discover their status, and be linked to care while in a recovery program. This was the first year of a new five-year contract SPHERE has with BSAS, representing some changes in its program and activities. This year represented a new focus on two specific aspects of its services: systems integration and coordination and needs assessment. The emphasis on systems integration has afforded SPHERE with enhanced opportunities to collaborate with the HIV/AIDS Bureau and the Hepatitis C Office and develop specific technical assistance around promoting linkages between the drug and alcohol treatment world and the HIV service world to further support the delivery early intervention services.

In addition to the work of the Statewide Support Services vendor, the Bureau of Substance Abuse Services collaborated with the HIV/AIDS Bureau and the Bureau of Communicable Disease Control on the follow-up from a CSAT-funded planning grant. The grant supported a planning initiative entitled "HIV, Hepatitis and Addiction Service Integration" (HHASI). This initiative brought together stakeholders, providers, and consumers to plan for improved collaboration between Substance Abuse, HIV/AIDS and Hepatitis services in a culturally competent manner.

In 2002, a series of regional meetings were conducted to gather information and ideas from all relevant parties in order to produce a comprehensive strategic plan that aims to guide the state in integrating services in these three areas. Representatives from the three bureaus continued to meet to implement the strategic plan and to work on providing more integrated services and contract management to better serve the needs of substance users with HIV.

On behalf of the Bureau, SPHERE delivered the following services statewide:

- Promoted affiliations among substance abuse and HIV service providers to promote access for clients of substance abuse treatment services to Hepatitis C services, STD screening and treatment services, community health centers, HIV Counseling, Testing, Referrals, Partner Counseling and Referral Services (CTRPCR), HIV case management, and family planning services;
- Ongoing efforts to integrate Hepatitis C into substance abuse treatment by providing hepatitis trainings onsite for substance abuse treatment providers, by disseminating resources and tools to help providers integrate Hepatitis C into their services, and by working with the public health staff of the

Massachusetts Hepatitis C program to further understand issues surrounding substance use and abuse;

- Ongoing development of the program's website to promote easier access to HIV integration and disseminating early intervention information materials;
- Disseminated resources and tools to enhance the substance abuse treatment system's capacity to facilitate the discovery of HIV status in treatment, and support the disclosure of status to partners and health care providers, including the delivery of specific trainings designed to offer drug and alcohol treatment providers specific skills to support clients in their HIV testing decision-making;
- Disseminated resources and tools to enhance the substance abuse treatment system's capacity to make active referrals for clients to a range of health and HIV services, and to support clients to follow-up on these referrals;
- Disseminated resources and tools to enhance the substance abuse treatment system's capacity to provide specific support to clients who disclose their HIV status to the provider and to support those clients with further disclosure;
- Disseminated specialized provider tools to strengthen providers' capacity to link clients living with HIV to services and care;
- Continued dissemination of a resource to strengthen providers' capacity to respond to client disclosures of sexual orientation and to link these individuals to services;
- Continued dissemination of its HIV risk assessment resources in Spanish, building the capacity of Spanish-speaking substance abuse treatment providers who work with Spanish speaking clients;
- Continued to make available the BSAS HIV/AIDS policy guidelines to all BSAS providers;
- Continued to make available Model HIV/AIDS Confidentiality Policies for substance abuse treatment programs to all BSAS providers;
- Disseminated the BSAS Standards of Care as they relate to HIV integration to all substance abuse treatment providers;
- Continued to use innovative evaluation instruments for each of its trainings and technical assistance to measure achievement of learning objectives and participant capacity to implement new skills and information;
- Developed, implemented and analyzed a statewide survey of Program HIV/AIDS Coordinators (PACs) on the use and content of the SPHERE monthly e-news to identify ways the e-news is used and provide an opportunity for drug and alcohol treatment providers to make recommendations on its improvement;
- Continued program efforts to strengthen the capacity of Program HIV/AIDS Coordinators to play leadership onsite roles in onsite HIV integration and early intervention efforts through specialized programming and resource dissemination at quarterly PAC-Net meetings, specialized e-mailings, information on special training events, and other activities;
- Fostered greater systems integration by the development and dissemination of a monthly electronic newsletter on HIV/substance use issues that is sent to a variety of public health programs;
- Assessed the needs of the BSAS service system as it relates to HIV integration needs and challenges, documented changes and improvements and developed strategies to make further improvements;
- Implementation of two cycles of region-based PACNet meetings to increase provider capacity to implement the BSAS HIV/AIDS Guidelines and meet the Standards of Care;
- Developed training, technical assistance and specialized tools to assist providers to operationalize new Standards of Care as it relates to HIV integration, improving access to early intervention services, improving capacity to establish effective linkage agreements and enhance client services;

- Ongoing development of strategies for using PACNet support to achieve HIV integration and early intervention goals;
- Ongoing development and dissemination of a monthly electronic newsletter to support access to information, resource availability and systems integration. SPHERE expanded the mailing list;
- Collaborated with other statewide vendors to explore new ways to increase provider access to capacity-building training opportunities and achieve HIV integration outcomes;
- Continued to offer several free monthly all day trainings in geographically diverse locations for substance abuse treatment providers; and
- Continued to partner with the HIV/AIDS Bureau to deliver five (5) trainings on “Understanding Substance Use and Abuse” to the HIV service system to improve its understanding of the substance abuse treatment system and recovery programs and five (5) additional trainings on Viral Hepatitis to these same providers.
- Provided a total of 58 trainings (local, onsite and statewide) reaching 936 participants.
- Disseminated over 2000 HIV integration related educational resources and tools to drug and alcohol treatment providers in Massachusetts.

SPHERE’s collaboration with the MA HAB resulted in the revision of curriculum and delivery of an all-day training designed for the HIV service world on “Understanding Substance Use and Abuse”. This training was developed and presented by SPHERE staff five (5) times in FY05. This training has now become a staple of the HAB training roster for its funded agencies. In addition, the HAB collaborates with SPHERE to provide its statewide trainings on Viral Hepatitis to its funded programs. In FY05, SPHERE also presented this training five (5) times. In addition, SPHERE was welcomed back to the New England Institute on Addiction Studies where it presented its all day institute on “Getting Comfortable Conducting Client Centered HIV Risk Assessments in Drug and Alcohol Treatment”.

In addition to the work of the Statewide Support Services vendor, the Bureau of Substance Abuse Services continued to collaborate with the HIV/AIDS Bureau and the Bureau of Communicable Disease Control on the follow-up from a CSAT-funded planning grant. Representatives from the three bureaus continued to meet to implement the strategic plan and to work on providing more integrated services, training, and contract management. The following are the principles and goals from the HHASI Action Plan. Each of these goals contains specific tasks, many of which have already been accomplished or are on-going.

Principle I: Assure integrated service provision in an informed, non-judgmental and nondiscriminatory manner

Goal A: Assess, develop and expand service continuum to provide access to culturally and linguistically appropriate services.

Goal B: Providers and communities will adopt a range of harm reduction strategies.

Goal C: Recognize and overcome stigma towards addicts and people living with/or at risk for HIV and viral hepatitis.

Goal D: Increase departmental and interdepartmental planning, funding, implementation, and review.

Goal E: Maintain and continue to enhance public health surveillance.

Principle II: Assure collaborative, coordinated service planning and linkage

Goal A: Increase number and quality of referrals between and among needle exchange, methadone, HIV services, SA services, shelters, viral hepatitis service providers, mental health, primary care and corrections.

Goal B: Continue to examine and revise policy and practice for program eligibility, accessibility and continuity.

Goal C: Increase capacity of staff to better integrate services.

Goal D: Promote viral hepatitis testing and hepatitis A and B vaccination for at risk individuals in HIV and SA treatment programs.

Principle III: Assure culturally and linguistically appropriate, client-centered services and programs.

Goal A: Maintain a responsive system of services.

Goal B: Increase and assure access to appropriate services and retention within the system.

FY 2007 (PROGRESS)

In keeping with its mission, SPHERE had a busy and successful year. With enhanced support from the Viral Hepatitis Program, SPHERE launched a Hepatitis Training Series, developed and disseminated additional hepatitis-related resources, and initiated several creative initiatives. Our work with PAC-Net continued and expanded, and we undertook two statewide needs assessments to understand the level of HIV integration and Hepatitis integration that may be happening in drug and alcohol treatment programs throughout the state. In addition, this was the first full year of conducting follow-up evaluations, which document an ongoing impact of SPHERE's services. We will be reviewing this data in the beginning of FY08 to better understand the fundamental effects our services are causing.

Our achievements included:

- Developed 3 curricula: "The Specifics of Substances", "Hepatitis C and Youth" and "Supporting Patient Communication Skills to Improve Doctor-Patient Communication: Strategies for Drug & Alcohol Treatment Providers"
- Created and implemented new Hepatitis Training Series, reaching 188 participants and providing nine opportunities for cross collaboration to happen between drug and alcohol treatment providers and hepatitis service providers.
- Trainings happened onsite and at statewide trainings and meetings, 16 topics reaching 1,454 participants at 83 trainings in 2006-07
- SPHERE developed four (4) new hepatitis specific cue cards ("Integrating Hepatitis A into Drug & Alcohol Treatment", "Integrating Hepatitis B into Drug & Alcohol Treatment", "Hepatitis A & B Vaccination" and "Comparing Hepatitis ABC"). These cue cards were translated into Spanish and Portuguese, and posted on the SPHERE website for easy access in addition to their hard copy dissemination.
- SPHERE developed hepatitis vaccine awareness campaign materials (client educational brochure, poster/flyer, stickers, fact sheets), translated these materials into Spanish and Portuguese, and posted them on SPHERE website for easy access.
- SPHERE developed suggested script to accompany liver model distribution to PAC-Net.
- SPHERE developed and disseminated posters to PACs to use in their programs to reduce HIV related stigma and to encourage conversation around hepatitis vaccination.
- SPHERE developed four e-newsletters and posted them online.
- SPHERE disseminated 76 model livers to PACs across Massachusetts
- SPHERE disseminated 14,967 resources to 195 programs in Massachusetts
- SPHERE distributed 1,500 hotline pens in Massachusetts to training participants, technical assistance recipients, MDPH staff and meeting participants, supporting referral capacity and systems integration efforts

- SPHERE launched a hepatitis vaccine awareness campaign, supporting provider educational efforts with clients to discuss and refer to hepatitis vaccine services, as well as increase their referral capacity for hepatitis vaccine services.
- SPHERE continued to look for and seize opportunities at PACNet meetings for cross collaboration. This year, we included: representatives from AIDS Action Committee (Boston), MDPH Health Educators to discuss availability of hepatitis educational materials.
- Twelve PACNet meetings were held (two in each region), attracting a total of 181 participants.
- Distributed, collated, and analyzed two statewide needs assessment from PACs across the state on HIV integration and hepatitis integration activities in programs.
- SPHERE collated, compiled and tabulated 1,517 evaluations and produced 79 evaluation reports.
- SPHERE issued and mailed 993 CEU Certificates
- SPHERE enhanced its collaboration with the MDPH Viral Hepatitis Program on creating and delivering hepatitis related capacity building services to drug and alcohol treatment providers
- SPHERE collaborated with its sister program, the GLBT Youth Support Project on the development of cue cards related to GLBT youth in drug and alcohol treatment.

The emphasis on systems integration afforded SPHERE with enhanced opportunities to collaborate with the HIV/AIDS Bureau and incorporate HIV related services and service providers into its statewide meetings for drug and alcohol treatment providers. These opportunities promoted and supported providers creating linkages with providers in the HIV service world to further support their referral capacity and the delivery early intervention services.

FY 2008 (INTENDED USE)

In the coming year, BSAS will strengthen its targeted capacity building for substance abuse treatment providers in ways that support continued systems integration, providing additional and enhanced opportunities for BSAS funded programs and HIV service organizations to share concerns, strategies and interventions to reach their shared population. SPHERE will also continue its efforts to promote systems integration and coordination, increase provider awareness and skills around offering positive prevention services, increase the visibility, skills, and credibility of onsite HIV integration specialists in substance abuse treatment programs (PACs). SPHERE will continue its unique partnership with the Hepatitis C program, through its efforts to enhance hepatitis integration with curriculum development and training, strengthening the capacity of substance abuse treatment providers to respond to both the HIV/hepatitis needs of their clients.

The Bureau will continue to offer its high quality onsite training and technical assistance to increase provider knowledge, skills, and capacity to work across systems to improve services for the client with HIV/at risk for HIV, both through SPHERE and through collaboration with the HIV/AIDS Bureau. We will look for ways to enhance provider capacity around supporting HIV testing decision making and supporting clients seeking testing services.

These statewide activities will be undertaken:

- SPHERE will assess the needs of the BSAS service system as it relates to HIV and viral hepatitis integration, documenting systems changes and making recommendations for continued improvement;
- SPHERE will implement two cycles of region-based PACNet meetings that will increase provider capacity to increase provider capacity to deliver and facilitate early intervention services and make effective referrals to HIV services;
- SPHERE will continue to partner with the BSAS to develop, plan and undertake a process to update the 1997 HIV/AIDS Guidelines to make them reflect current scientific and programmatic realities;

- Develop training, technical assistance and specialized tools to improve provider capacity to establish effective linkage agreements and enhance client services and referrals, with special emphasis on increasing drug and alcohol treatment provider's awareness of HIV testing services and Hepatitis vaccine services;
- Promote opportunities for systems integration and networking across service systems;
- SPHERE will continue to develop and disseminate a quarterly electronic newsletter to support access to information, resource availability and systems integration;
- Continue to explore new ways to increase provider access to capacity-building services, achieve HIV integration outcomes, and document long term impact of services;
- Reviewing evaluation data to better understand the fundamental effects resulting from SPHERE services.
- Continue to offer free regional all day trainings in geographically diverse locations for substance abuse treatment providers that support providers to be in compliance of Standards of Care training requirements for HIV integration; expand regional training capacity with support of Viral Hepatitis Program to produce a "Hepatitis Regional Training Series";
- Continue to partner with the HIV/AIDS Bureau to deliver trainings on "Understanding Substance Use and Abuse" to the HIV service system to improve its understanding of the substance abuse treatment system and recovery programs, and to explore other opportunities for collaboration that enhance systems integration efforts;
- Continue to partner with the HIV/AIDS Bureau and the Hepatitis C Office to deliver trainings on "Viral Hepatitis" to the HIV service system to improve its understanding of viral hepatitis; and
- Ongoing and continued PAC-Net support.

Increasing provider understanding of positive prevention efforts in substance abuse treatment programs, HIV case management services, HIV and viral hepatitis testing services, and hepatitis vaccine providers will be a focus in the coming year. Many individuals at risk for HIV continue to enter treatment with no knowledge of their HIV status and little awareness of their risk for HIV. Early intervention services, however, can only be provided to individuals once they know they are living with HIV. Finding the client who needs and benefits from early intervention services so that we can provide them with these services continues to be a critical need. In order to achieve early intervention in treatment, treatment needs to support individuals to discover their status. To reach this goal, on behalf of the Bureau, SPHERE will continue to deliver these critical services:

- To support the discovery of HIV status in treatment, SPHERE will continue to enhance provider capacity to integrate ongoing risk assessment conversations into substance abuse treatment counseling;
- Assist substance abuse treatment programs to create safe, responsive, caring and accepting environments (through confidentiality policies and other environmental cues) that allow for discovery of one's HIV status to happen (through HIV counseling and testing) and support disclosure of it (through training and policies);
- Partner with the BSAS to be available to assist it in providing internet-based HIV/AIDS information;
- Improve the skills and competencies of substance abuse providers on issues related to HIV/AIDS and viral hepatitis; and
- Enhance the capacity of the drug and alcohol treatment system to provide support for clients to seek and obtain HIV testing results and to access appropriate early intervention services, as needed, following discovery of status.

SPHERE will strengthen its efforts to increase the utilization of early intervention services by substance abuse treatment clients. On behalf of the Bureau, SPHERE will:

- Continue to integrate HIV service information, referrals and how to make active referrals into all of its onsite and statewide trainings;
- Collaborate with the Bureau to develop specialized linkage tools and templates for providers to use with other public health programs and agencies;
- Continue to participate in regional substance abuse treatment provider meetings and collaborate with the regional HIV Service Coordination Collaboratives (SCCs) to ensure that HIV program planning reflects the needs of substance abuse treatment clients; and
- Develop and offer technical assistance to substance abuse treatment programs to develop HIV risk reduction action planning skills that are compatible with substance abuse treatment counseling.

The Bureau of Substance Abuse Services will also continue to collaborate with the HIV/AIDS Bureau and the Bureau of Communicable Disease Control on the follow-up on the CSAT-funded planning grant, HHASI. Representatives from the three bureaus will continue to meet to implement the strategic plan and to work on providing more integrated HIV/ STD/ Viral Hepatitis and Addictions services, training, and contract management. In order to help achieve the goal of more people becoming aware of their HIV status, the Bureau of Substance Abuse Services will be working in FY2008 to expand access to HIV counseling and testing using rapid testing. The rapid testing kits, provided by SAMHSA, will be distributed to counseling and testing sites statewide. Substance abuse services providers statewide will be notified where they can refer their clients for rapid testing free of charge. BSAS will ensure that timely and effective training and technical assistance on this new testing option is available as needed by providers.

HIV Early Intervention Services

In Massachusetts, injection drug users continue to constitute a growing transmission risk group for HIV. In addition, we have recognized that the use of alcohol and other drugs may also put individuals and their sexual partners at risk for HIV and that the activities that create HIV risk for substance users also create viral hepatitis risks for the same population. Facing each of these public health concerns can support efforts to address the other. Recognizing this connection, BSAS provides a range of early intervention services for HIV positive clients, injection drug users, their partners and others at high risk for HIV, while also building the capacity of substance abuse treatment providers to address the hepatitis C risks of their clients.

BSAS contracts with Health Care of Southeastern Massachusetts, INC. (HCSM) and its program SPHERE (The Statewide Partnership for HIV Education in Recovery Environments) to provide targeted capacity building services to substance abuse treatment staff to support their onsite HIV integration efforts. These services include staff training to improve their ability to educate clients about HIV transmission, risk assessment, risk reduction and the importance of HIV testing and early intervention services; provision of the tools of prevention; and, training on referral to pre/post-test counseling and offering support around HIV testing in recovery programs; and training on offering assistance in linking people living with HIV to appropriate local medical and HIV services. SPHERE also provides technical assistance to BSAS-funded programs on HIV policy implementation and service delivery, accesses and disseminates the materials they need to engage in HIV conversations and programming with clients, and supports providers to make active referrals around early intervention through training, resource development and technical assistance.

On behalf of the Bureau, SPHERE helps to connect BSAS-funded programs to local HIV counseling and testing services, HIV case management services, medical care, as well as hepatitis vaccination services and hepatitis medical care. In addition, SPHERE provides training services on substance use to HIV service providers. In 2005, SPHERE played an important role in the HIV/AIDS Bureau Provider Training Calendar, by offering training on substance use and hepatitis C. Fostering these partnerships and systems collaboration

opportunities are essential tasks, one that promotes the delivery of early intervention services and meaningful referrals to substance abuse treatment clients.

In 1992 the Bureau developed an HIV/AIDS policy that outlined guidelines applicable to all programs funded and/or licensed by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. In 1997, the Bureau revised the policy guidelines which reflect the advances made in the treatment of HIV until that time and the Bureau's need to provide comprehensive HIV treatment. These policies require that all BSAS-funded programs designate a staff person as a Program HIV/AIDS Coordinator (PAC) to oversee the implementation of the guidelines and facilitate onsite HIV integration. These PACs work with SPHERE to facilitate onsite HIV integration.

SPHERE continues to strengthen its statewide network of these PACs (PAC-Net) and HIV prevention/ service providers involved with substance abuse integration. SPHERE provides direct technical support to these PACs in these efforts, disseminates information, resources and specialized mailings to them to assist in their onsite HIV integration work. SPHERE organizes, schedules, plans and facilitates networking opportunities for the PAC-Net by sponsoring meetings in six regions two times a year throughout the state. PAC-Net meetings provide an important opportunity for building relationships, and help to ensure that services are rooted in the experience in the field, meeting real needs in ways that make the most sense for providers and clients, and that curriculum development, training and technical assistance meet current and emerging needs. SPHERE uses the PAC-Net meeting setting as a forum for its technical assistance and to enrich system collaboration efforts. PAC-Net meetings have also been used to reinforce provider knowledge of Bureau expectations regarding HIV integration and as an opportunity to support providers to reach Bureau standards in this regard.

In 2005, SPHERE began to make a concerted effort to incorporate HIV services and service providers into PAC-Net meetings as a way to build substance abuse treatment provider HIV-related referral capacity and strengthen their awareness and familiarity with available early intervention services. These additional learning opportunities were well received by PACs. In addition in 2005, SPHERE continued to develop and disseminate an electronic newsletter for substance abuse treatment providers on issues of HIV/Hepatitis C integration. This e-news not only offered important information, but also helped to sustain and strengthen the network of providers engaged with this topic.

BSAS collaborates with the AIDS Bureau to increase early access to free medical care for uninsured, HIV positive individuals with substance abuse problems. The ACT Now program (Access to Care and Treatment) provides confidential access to comprehensive medical evaluations, routine medical care, mental health and/or social services, related diagnostic laboratory and/or x-ray tests, and medications for early intervention and treatment of HIV. SPHERE supported BSAS-funded programs to become active members of their local HIV consortia, helping to ensure that the planning and delivery of HIV integration services in local communities is relevant to the needs of the substance abuse treatment population.

BSAS continued the process for development of the "HIV, Hepatitis and Addiction Service Integration" (HHASI) plan. In FY05, SPHERE used the BSAS Standards of Care to clarify expectations for professional development and staff training around HIV/Hepatitis C/risk reduction, and to strengthen the role of onsite Program HIV/AIDS Coordinators (PACs), and establish standards for linkage protocols and agreements with a range of HIV and other health related programs. SPHERE will provide technical assistance, training and access to specialized materials to assist all BSAS-funded programs to achieve these new Standards and to create the linkages that promote access to early intervention services for individuals in recovery. Creating enhanced opportunities for collaboration between the substance abuse treatment system and the HIV services system will be a priority.

In FY2005, the state spent \$2,831,190 on HIV/AIDS services for substance users.

HIV Early Intervention Programs Receiving Funds

HIV EARLY INTERVENTION FUNDS REPORTED BY STATE PROVIDER				
Program	Status	Address	Phone	Funds
BAY COVE HUMAN SERVICES ANDREW HOUSE DETOXIFICATION CENTER	A	Long Island Health Campus Morris Building 2nd Floor Quincy, MA 02169	n/a	\$20,020
BAY COVE HUMAN SERVICES BRIDGE TO RECOVERY DETOXIFICATION	A	Long Island Health Campus Administration Building North Quincy, MA 02171	n/a	\$26,729
BAY COVE HUMAN SERVICES METHADONE SERVICES	A	66 Canal Street Boston, MA 02114	n/a	\$8,628
BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION ADDICTION SERVICES/OUTPATIENT COUNSELING	A	723 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, MA 02118	n/a	\$9,931
CAB BOSTON TREATMENT CENTER	A	784 Massachusetts Avenue Boston, MA 02118	n/a	\$22,502
CAMBRIDGE CARES ABOUT AIDS, INC.	n/a	DHSP Cambridge, MA 02139	n/a	\$20,000
CENTRO LATINO DE CHELSEA	n/a	267 Broadway Chelsea, MA 02150	n/a	\$45,850
CONCILIO HISPANO DE CAMBRIDGE	n/a	105 Windsor Street Cambridge, MA 2139	n/a	\$20,000
DIMOCK COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER ALCOHOL AND DRUG DETOXIFICATION PROGRAM	A	56 Dimock Street Roxbury, MA 02119	n/a	\$24,640
HEALTH & EDUCATION SERVICES	n/a	131 Rantoull Street Beverly, MA 01915	n/a	\$79,750
IMPACT	A	260 Beacon Street Somerville, MA 02143	n/a	\$220,051
LATINO HEALTH INSTITUTE	n/a	95 Berkeley Street Boston, MA 02116	n/a	\$80,000
MAPS	n/a	1046 Cambridge St. Cambridge, MA 02139	n/a	\$20,000
ROXBURY COMP COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, INC. METHADONE SERVICES	A	170 Morton Street Jamaica Plain, MA 02130	n/a	\$2,438
ADDICTION TREATMENT CENTER OF NEW ENGLAND	A	77 Warren Street Brighton, MA 02135	n/a	\$108,767
BAY STATE MEDICAL CENTER ADS CARLSON RECOVERY CENTER	A	471 Chestnut Street Springfield, MA 01199	n/a	\$14,773
BERKSHIRE MEDICAL CENTER/HILLCREST CAMPUS THOMAS W MCGEE UNIT	A	165 Tor Court Pittsfield, MA 01201	n/a	\$15,458
CAB HEALTH AND RECOVERY SERVICES, INC. INPATIENT DETOX	U	111 Middleton Road Danvers, MA 01923	n/a	\$17,172
CAB HEALTH AND RECOVERY SERVICES, INC. OPIATE ADDICTION TREATMENT SERVICES	U	111 Middleton Road Danvers, MA 01923	n/a	\$3,953
CENTER FOR HEALTH AND HUMAN	I	32 Gifford Street, Suite R	n/a	\$158,777

SERVICES NARCOTIC TREATMENT PROGRAM		New Bedford, MA 02741		
COMMUNITY SUBSTANCE ABUSE CENTER HIGH POINT OUTPATIENT	U	10 Kilburn Street New Bedford, MA 02740	n/a	\$2,023
GOSNOLD TREATMENT CENTER	A	200 Ter Heun Drive Falmouth, MA 02540	n/a	\$2,210
HEALTH AND EDUCATION SERVICES, INC. HEALTH AND EDUCATION SERVICES GLOUCESTER	A	298 Washington Street Gloucester, MA 01930	n/a	\$3,357
HIGH POINT TREATMENT CENTER, INC. DETOXIFICATION PROGRAM	A	1233 State Road Plymouth, MA 02360	n/a	\$4,813
HIV EDUCATION	n/a	942 Chestnut Street Brockton, MA 02301	n/a	\$122,219
LOWELL COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, INC. BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES INPATIENT	A	Tewksbury Hospital 365 East Street Dietary Rehab Bldg Tewksbury, MA 01876	n/a	\$18,070
PROVIDENCE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH HOSPITAL DETOXIFICATION	A	1233 Main Street Holyoke, MA 01040	n/a	\$13,100
SAINT ANNE'S HOSPITAL LIFELINE/METHADONE SERVICES	A	795 Middle Street Fall River, MA 02721	n/a	\$108,723
SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL METHADONE MAINTENANCE PROGRAM	A	227 Mill Street Springfield, MA 01108	n/a	\$115,107
STANLEY STREET TREATMENT AND RESOURCES ALCOHOLISM/DRUG DETOX PROGRAM	A	386 Stanley Street Fall River, MA 02720	n/a	\$10,815
TAPESTRY HEALTH SYSTEMS	n/a	320 Riverside Drive Florence, MA 01602	n/a	\$108,500
COMMUNITY HEALTHLINK, INC. DETOXIFICATION PROGRAM	A	68 Jacques Avenue Worcester, MA 01610	n/a	\$18,550
HENRY LEE WILLIS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER	n/a	119 Forest Street Worcester, MA 01609	n/a	\$80,000
SPECTRUM HEALTH SYSTEMS, INC. OUTPATIENT SERVICES	A	105 Merrick Street Worcester, MA 01609	n/a	\$134,005
SPECTRUM HEALTH SYSTEMS, INC. PRIMARY CARE	A	154 Oak Street Westborough, MA 01581	n/a	\$26,485

Status Key: [A] Active, [I] Inactive, [n/a] Not available, [P] Facility physically closed, [S] No substance abuse services provided, [U] Closed as duplicate of another facility.